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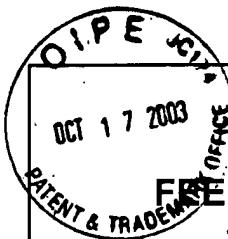
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| Application Number | 09/996,802 |
| Filing Date | November 30, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | SATO |
| Examiner Name | Feely, Michael J. |
| Group Art Unit | 1712 |
| Attorney Docket Number | 2922-172 |

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge additional fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2135 in the name of Rothwell, Figg, Ernst & Manbeck
- Charge any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
- Applicant claims small entity status
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 - Check
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FEES CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

| Fee | Fee | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| Code | \$ | | |
| 1001 | 750 | Utility filing fee | [] |
| 1002 | 330 | Design Filing Fee | [] |
| 1003 | 520 | Plant Filing Fee | [] |
| 1004 | 750 | Reissue Filing Fee | [] |
| 1005 | 160 | Provisional Filing Fee | [] |

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2. CLAIMS

| Paid | Extra Claims | Fee | Fee |
|---------------------------|------------------|-----|------------|
| Total Claims | [] - 20** = [] | x | \$18 = [] |
| Independent Claims | [] - 3** = [] | x | 84 = [] |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | + 280 = [] | | |

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FEES CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Fee | Fee | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
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| Code | Paid | | |
| 1051 | 130 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | [] |
| 1052 | 50 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | [] |
| 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | [] |
| 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | [] |
| 1804 | 920 | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | [] |
| 1804 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | [] |
| 1251 | 110 | Extension for reply within first month | [] |
| 1252 | 410 | Extension for reply within second month | [] |
| 1253 | 930 | Extension for reply within third month | [] |
| 1254 | 1,450 | Extension for reply within fourth month | [] |
| 1255 | 1,970 | Extension for reply within fifth month | [] |
| 1401 | 320 | Notice of Appeal | [] |
| 1402 | 320 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | [] |
| 1403 | 280 | Request for Oral Hearing | [] |
| 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | [] |
| 1452 | 110 | Petition to revive -unavoidable | [] |
| 1453 | 1,300 | Petition to revive - unintentional | [] |
| 1501 | 1,300 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | [] |
| 1502 | 470 | Design issue fee | [] |
| 1503 | 630 | Plant issue fee | [] |
| 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | [] |
| 1807 | 50 | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) | [] |
| 1806 | 180 | Submission of Information Disclosure Statement | [180] |
| 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | [] |
| 1809 | 750 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | [] |
| 1810 | 750 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | [] |
| 1801 | 750 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | [] |
| 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | [] |
| 1504 | 300 | Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication | [] |
| 1505 | 300 | Publication fee for republication | [] |
| 1455 | 200 | Filing application for patent term adjustment | [] |
| 1456 | 400 | Request for reinstatement of term reduced | [] |
| | | Other fee (specify) | [] |

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